SAYS THE FIGHT WAS SIMPLY HORRIBLE.

British Officer's Description of the Battle of the Yalu Riva.

DECKS STREWN WITH

"On board the warship Chen Yuen the fighting was awful. The decks and the space around the guns were strewn the space around the guns were strewn ing them down. They have been positively identified and their description has been telegraphed to every sheriff were blown up by a shell from the Japanese warship Naniwa. The fourth gunner was shot while trying to escape from the turret, and the fifth stuck to his post. This man fired three rounds at the Naniwa, one shell entering the engine room of the Japanese ship, and another crashing her for The Naniwa then hauled off. The Chinese admiral rewarded the sur viving gunner with a present of 1,000 taels.
"The shot glanced from the steel

the snot gances from the sees, deck of the Chen Yuen and went through her tower, shattering everything therein. A licutenant in the act of speaking through a tube leading to the engine room was blown into atoms and his head was left hanging to the

speaking pipes.
"Huge fragments of armor was car-ried on board by the shot, crushing a large number of sallors in a shapeless

the enemy's ship."
The writer expresses the opinion that if the European rulers could have seen the decks of the Chen Yuen they ould have foresworn war forever.

PRINCE KING RECALLED.

One of the Most Adroit Statesmen in the Chinese Empire.

Chinese legation were very incredulous today of the reports from Shanghai that the Chinese emperor was about to be dethroused and his place occupied by a son of Prince Kung. It is pointed out that Prince Kung has been in retirement so long and his son so little known in political affairs that there is no reasonable basis for crediting such an internal revolution as might overthrow the emperor.

The official draft of the new treaty between China and the United States as recently signed in China is now on its way to the legation here. It is expected the president's proclamation making the treaty effective in this

pected the president's proclamation of making the tresty effective in this country will be the next step taken.

It Puzzles Them.

Washington, Oct. 2.-The officials here, who have been closely watching the progress of the war in the east, are puzzled to account for the landing of 1,000 Japanese troops at Bosseit bay, as announced officially from Tien Tsin. This bay lies directly on the eastern boundary between Corea and the Russian maritime provinces. It is not believed any Chinase troops are in the neighborhood; the country is too ruged to account for the landing of level any Chinise troops are in the neighborhood; the country is too rugged and barren to warrant the plan of marching the troops overland clear across Corea to Join the army advancing on Mukden, and it is considered inconceivable that the Japanese are preparing to resist a possible advance by the Russian troops from the north into

The purpose of the other movement, Corea.

The purpose of the other movement, reported from Tien Tsin, the reconnoitering by the Japanese flest off the Chinese coast near Shan Hai Kwan, is much more reasonable and apparent. Shan Pai Kwan lies on the boundary between the Chinese provinces of Manbetween the Chinese provinces of the reconnection of the Papanese flest off the Chinese coast near the Chinese the Chin between the Chinese provinces of Man-churia and Chi Li, at the eastern end of the great wall which traverses Chi-na. It is directly on the railroad build-ing from Tien Tsin to Mukden, and as the line is already in operation between it and Tien Tsin, the town is a place of the control of the country of the country of the country of the transfer of the country of great strategic advantage. Should the Japanese effect its capture and land an army, there would be nothing in the way of a rapid advance on Pekin, the capital, and unless the Chinese resistance is more formidable than it has been so far, the march could be made to a week or ten days. in a week or ten days.

Anti-Foreign Feeling.

Shanghal, Oct. 2.-The anti-foreign feeling at Pekin is increasing hourly, and the nuthorities find it difficult to repress outbreaks of the Chinese pop

ulation. The leading Chinese represen-tatives at Pekin fear that if the Japan-ese march upon Pekin the capital will be captured, as the Chinese soldiers gathered to defend it are dissatisfied and unreliable. It is reported that Li Hung Chang has received orders not to proceed to Corea.

Closing in on Peking.

Tien Tein, Oct. 2.-It is officially anounced that 5,000 Japanese troops have arrived close to Passiet Bay, near the Russian frontier. Previous to this announcement it was reported here that a Japanese fleet had been sighted September 29th, ten miles from Shan Hal Kwan, 200 miles from Pekin, Large bodies of Chinese troops had been drafted to that district the last few

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 2.-The two missng train robbers are still uncaught. though the country is full of men hunt-Armstrong and O'Brien, alias Donovan were near at hand when Armour was having his battle with Sheriff Murphy. having his battle with Sheriff Murphy. The three had gone to a near-by hay-stack and were returning with feed for their horses. Armour was in the lead. On discovering the officers, he had thrown down the hay and shown fight, apparently confident that his contrades would at once come to his assistance. Instead of coming to the rescue of their comrade, they dropped their hay and ran, unobserved by the two officers. Instead of coming to the rescue of their comrade, they dropped their hay and ran, unobserved by the two officers.

Frank Cox, territorial attorney for the Southern Pacific, and Southern Pacific, and Southern Pacific Detective Breckinridge are in the city pushing the pursuit in the interest of the company.

ALLISON AND SUGAR.

ever, in Knapp's Iola, who, heavily backed by her owner, ran at the head of the lot all the way. The other upset was in the last pace, which was the best of the day. Four horses finished heads apart. Buckrene was the favorite, with McIntyre the rank outsider, and the latter won by a neck.

First race, mile—Copyright won. Setaucket second, Miss Dixie third. Time—1:45%.

ALLISON AND SUGAR.

Speech That Suggests Love For

ried on board by saliors in a shapeless large number of saliors in a shapeless mass. A European engineer, groping about in the endeavor to repair the steam pipe, was drenched from head to foot with the blood of an assistant, who was discmboweled by a shot from the endeavor ship."

Tipton, la., occ. a magnificent audition—to united steam pipe, was drenched from head ence assembled to listen to United States Senator Allison. L. H. Brotherline, president, who introduced the speaker, said Iowa would be proud to follow him as presidential candidate.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Nero won, Prince John second, Reynard third. Time—1:024. the Trust and Other Monopolles.

two years hence.

Senator Allison's speech was devo-ted almost entirely to the sugar question and the action of Congress there upon for the past four years. Modern invention, he said, has in the last twenty years greatly lessened the cost of refining sugar, and as this cost has Washington, Oct. 2.—Prince Kuing, who has been recalled to imperial father in China and placed at the head of the privy council, is said by diplonats, who have known him personally, to be one of the ablest and most adroit statesmen in the Chinese empire. He has behind him a long record of distinguished service, heriuming mats, who have known him personally, to be one of the ablest and most adroit statesmen in the Chinese embling and sugars above 16 Dutch standard the courts of the ablest and most adroit statesmen in the Chinese embling and sugars above 16 Dutch standard the court of the ablest and most adroit statesmen in the Chinese embling and sugars above 16 Dutch standard the court of the ablest and most additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars coming from countries that paids a duty of one-half a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars coming from countries that paids a duty of one-half a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars exported, the practical effect of which was to levy an additional one-tenth cent per pound and sugars above 16 Dutch standard the court of the court of the paids a duty of one-half a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paids a cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paids a cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paids a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars that per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars that per pound, as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound, as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound, with an additional one-tenth cent per pound. The inspector of the impercent per pound as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound. The inspector of the impercent per pound as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound as against refined sugars that paid a cent per pound as against refined sugars that p

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SAYS THEY ARE FOOLISH.

Wade Hampton Will Roast People

Washington, Oct. 2—General Wade
Hampion, commissioner of railroads, was
and the right ankle broken. The fact
at his desk today for the first time in
several weeks, having returned from an
his recovery very doubtful. extended trip over the government railextended trip over the government rail roads which come under his supervision. The commissioner says he encountered in California a great deal of clamor for government control of not only the Union and Central Pacific, but of all roads. Both of these propositions are opposed by the commissioner, who will submit his report to the secretary of the Interio Nov. I.

by the commissioner, who will submit his report to the secretary of the interior Nov. I.

"In the first place," he said, "the bonds of these roads are not due until 1838 and the government cannot foreclose until that time. If the government should foreclose, it, having only the second mortgage, would be compelled to pay the first mortgage, amounting to many millions. A government such as ours cannot operate railroads. In autocratic governments it is possible, but not in this. The demand for foreclosure of the Pacific roads does not come from the best informed people of the Pacific coast, although it has got to be a very popular movement in the west."

ant, the Veiled Prophet disembarked at the Merchant's exchange, in whose great hall, beautifully decorated, he, attended by thirty-two matrons and 169 maids of honor, received his guests and opened his annual ball, which far surpassed his entertainments of past years.

The attendance at the ball, though rigidly reduced from that of past seasons by restriction of invitations, was even uncomfortably large for the great hall in which it was held.

See campaign offer, northwest corner of page S.

THE TURF.

At Latonia.

Will Have Solid Support.

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Washington, Oct. 2—The Japanese legation has received late advices as to the political complexion of the Japanese parliament, which was recently and Foreward War Porever—Prince Kung, Who Has Been Recalled, Said to Be One of the Most Adroit of Chinese Statesmen, and He Will Force the Fighting to a Finish.

Beenes Such as Would Make Christing the war issue, and the would be not division on the war issue, and that the forthcoming parliament will give heavy appropriations for the army and navy. A feature of the elections was the defeat of Oi Kentara and Mr. Abbe, the most volent leaders of the opposition toward the government.

LEFT IN THE LURGH

Train Cincinnati, Oct. 2.-The great even

1:53%, Fifth race, six furlongs — Brendoo Satsuma second, Basso third. -1:15. Sixth race, seven furlongs - John Berkley won, Two O'clock second Dutch Oven third. Time-1:29%.

Was Favorite's Day.

New York, Oct. 2.-Today was a favorites' day at Jerome park, and they came in first in four out of six races. all being odds-on. There were no close finishes, and the only ripple of excitement was when the crowd applauded the defeat of Flirt in the third race, which appeared to have been made for her. She met with an obstacle, how-ever, in Knapp's Iola, who, heavily

-1:45%.
Second race, Claremont stakes, five and a half furlongs—Kennett won, Dance second. Utica third.

Sixth race, Titan course—McIntyre won, Copyright second, Buckrene third.

See enmpaign offer on page S. RESULTED IN A TANGLE.

The Aid of the Courts Will be In-

voked to Unravel It. Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 2.—The state and county election held in this city today re-sulted in a tangle which it will probably

Mt. Vernon, Ky., Oct. 2 .- A veritable double murder was committed three miles south of here. Little Hullet, an itinerant Methodist minister, had camped on James Scott's farm on his way to Gallatin, Tenn, Scott or-dered Hullet to move on, thinking he might suffer the loss of corn should remain. Hullet refused. made for him and a hand-to-hand cor flict was waged. Hullet was shot twice, dying in a few minutes, but first inflicted wounds on Scott with a club, from which he also died.

FELL FROM A WINDOW.

New York, Oct. 2 .- Prof. Vincensso Who Favor Government Control of Railroads.

On the vice-presidents of the Union League club, was severely injured today by falling from the third-story window of

See campaign offer on page 8, DOMESTIC DOTS.

Newsy Notes from All Portions of the Land Over Which the Star and Stripes Wave.

Cincinnati, Oct. 2—Democrats of the Pirst district today nominated H. D. Peck for Congress; Second district M. W.

oliver.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 2.—In the county in illons. A government such as ours cannot operate railroads. In autocratic governments it is possible, but not in this, the demand for foreciosure of the Pacific Coast, altiformed people of the P Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 2 .- In the county

Petersburg, Ill., Oct. 2.—The monument erected to the memory of Major Stephenson, founder of the G. A. R. was dedicated here today in the presence of fully came up on a communication from the mayor reappointing him.

The appointment of Judge Hoge was one by Commander Thomas G. Lawhard the succeed himself as city attorney, where the succeed himself as city attorney.

Duluth. Oct. 2.—A strike has begun at the city hall pigeon box since June, was the Oliver and Lone Jack mines, the men demanding an advance of 35 cents per day. Their employers will grant a concession of only 25 cents.

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New York, Oct. 2.—Senator Hill held a conference today with George B. McCleilan, E. L. Ridgeway, General Wyle and Clerk Defreest. At the close of the conference Hill and Defreest left the hotel together. To the reporter Hill said: "I must decline to say anything of a political nature." Defreest, however, remarked that the "senator has not yet accepted the nomination."

St. Paul, Oct. 2.—It is understood that the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific are about to enter into a close traffic arrangement either at Butte or Garrison. This will give the Northern Pacific another line to the Northern Pacific another leeder and will give the Union Pacific another line to the Northern Pacific coast and make it a strong competitor with the Burlington, which recently opened a line to Billings and entered into close traffic arrangements with the Northern Pacific.

Masillon, O., Oct. 2.—Two passenger

Northern Pacific.

Masillon, O., Oct. 2.—Two passenger trains on the Cleveland, Laramie & Wheeling road collided at St. Paul's station today. Several passengers were painfully but not seriously injured. Among the injured are: Mrs. Kate McKelvey, of Unrichsylle, O.; Miss Mahan, sister of Rev. Father Mahan, this city; William Ellis, A. E. Hade, Rev. J. D. Lee, of Roscoe, O.; J. A. Adams, Mrs. J. D. Miler.

omaha, Oct. 2.—Missouri river roads today announced that after Oct. 25, all freight rates to Portland and adjacent points will be advanced from 7 to 25 per cent. This is a discrimination in favor of San Francisco, though the object is a

FOREIGN FLASHES.

tirief and Newsy Cables From all Portions of This Terrestrial

Paris. Oct. 3.-Victor Koenig, a former husband of Jane Hading, the actress, is Vienna, Oct. 2—In the district of Salsburg yesterday four inches of snow fell. There is great fear of an avalanche.

Montreal, Que. Oct. 1—Friends of the Hon. Mr. Mercier, ex-premier of the brovince of Quebec, have been summoned to his bedside, as the family believe the end is near at hand.

March S, 1824. She was the daughter of Henry Alpin and Sarah White. The sentire family embraced the gospel of a Jesus Christ in the early days of the a church. She was baptized by Elder to Dayld Webb. She was the oldest of seven children, five girls and two boys. Three of her sisters are still living. Soon after becoming a member of the church, the spirit of gathering to Zion rested upon her, and in company with her aunt Elizi, her father's sister, she left her native country in a sailing vessel for America. They were three months is on the ocean, landing at New Orleans in they proceeded up the Mississippi river to St. Louis. Soon after reaching there her aunt died of the cholera, which was raging at the time. She was thus left alone to make headway to thus left alone to make headway to-wards the place of her cherished des-tination, Utah, and being anxious to reach there as soon as possible, she determined, by the blessing of the Lord and her own industry, to raise means sufficient to complete her journey the following year. Being expert with the needle she earned considerable by sewing, and during her stay in St. Louis she became acquainted with Apostie John Taylor, Elder Jeddedlah M. Grant and Bishop Edward Hunter. In the spring of 1850, she resolved to continue her journey to Utah, and started from

her journey to Utah, and started from St. Louis by boat up the Missouri river to Council Bluffs. While traveling she was introduced to Edwin D. Woolley (by Elder Gibson), who was looking for some one to take charge of his little son, E. G. Woolley. Edwin D. had just returned from Pennsylvania with his son, whose mother had died soon after Edwin D. had emigrated to Utah. She agreed to take charge of his boy and also to cook for the company across the plains, over which Edwin D. Woolley had charge. She arrived in Salt Lake city in October, 1850, and the followhad charge. She arrived in Salt Lake city in October, 1850, and the follow-ing month was married to the latter,

city in October, 1850, and the following month was married to the latter, from which union she was blessed with eleven children, six boys and five girls, seven of whom are now living. She had twenty-seven grandchildren, twenty-four of whom are living.

Arriving in this city in that early day, many were the hardships and trials she had to pass through. Her first child was born in a wagon box, the cover of which formed her only shelter. After the death of her husband's first wife, she took charge of the motherless family that still remained unmarried, as well as her own, which charge she faithfully berformed. She has lived in the Thirteenth ward between forty and fifty years, beloved by her family, and universally respected by a host of friends. She has died, as she lived, a Latterday Saint, and has gone home to receive her reward. Peace to her remains.

mportant Decisions in Regard to of the city should be taken
Sprinkling Tax Refunds—The farence, and asked for a con\$25,000 Copper Plant Bouns subject at the earliest moment possible. Churches, Schools and Every to meet the whole council in confer-Other Institution Will Have to

will send a formal challenge, boping that Harvard may be forced into a game.

Cincinnati, Oct. 2.—The United States court of appeals today reversed the decision of the circuit court in the Clinens in the Clinens of the circuit court in the Clinens in the Clinens of the circuit court in the Clinens in the Clinens in the court in the Commissioner Oct. 16.

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JUDGE HOGE CONFIRMED, TOO in the company has been included in the store. His wife, unaware of the whereabouts of the money, built a dire in the stove last night and the greenbacks served as kindling.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 2.—A call has been issued for the regular meeting of the Western Fassneger association on next Tueed day. The principal matter of business the convolutions in the greenbacks served as kindling.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 2.—Today the much talked of the Cett. 2.—Today the much talked of the between Alix and Directum was made. It is to take place with the next thirty days. It is to be for \$2.500 as ide. The winner is to receive 70 per cent. and the loser 25 per cent. The date and track are yet to be decided upon.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—William Bain, superintendent of the Millers Grain and Elevator company, committed suicide today by shooting himself through the head in the warehouse of the mill. He was 56 years old and unmarried. No one can advance any cause for the suicide.

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—R. Pratt, assistant general superintendent of the Southern Paecific company, has resigned, his resignation to take effect in December. Mr. Pratt has served continuously for thirty years, It is officially amounted that no new man will be appointed to fill the vacancy of Pratt's Dalby came up on a communication

The appointment of Judge Hoge to succeed himself as city attorney, which has been slumbering in the recesses of called up by Councilman Young and

for a refund of their 1893 sprinkling tax was denied on the ground that they had no redress unless a suit was begun within six months after paying the tax

within six months after paying the tax under protest.

Those who paid in 1894 will get theirs refunded.

The council agreed to meet with the board of public works tonight to consider what was to be done about stopping or continuing the gravity sewer.

The members of the council are to receive the pressure the council are to receive the council are to receive no pay for the extra session

The Proceedings.

Fergus Coalter et al., represented hat Second East between Seventh and Ninth South streets, was cut up by deep gullies; that the street & ways flooded in winter and almost impassable, wherefore the petitioners asked that the same be graded and put

in fair condition.

C. H. Jacobs, Hector Griswold and Elljah Sell, residents of Dunbar avenue, asked that that avenue be declared a legal street.

Committee on streets. Committee on streets,
J. H. Bennett called attention to the shocking condition of the ditch on the north side of Brigham street between

N and P streets, and asked that the same be repaired and also that the ectric light recently removed from e corner of O and Brigham streets, e put back. Referred to the Jordan canal and irlectric light

igation committee.

Johnson & Webb represented to the council that they had an exhibition of snakes, illustrating part of the natural history of Utah, and asked permission to exhibit the same on the street at the west entrance to the fair grounds.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 2.—News has reached here from Erzeroum, Armenia, that the people of Sassun have attacked the Kurdish and Turkish solders and killed and wounded over 200 of them.

the matter undisposed of and again appointing Dr. Dalby to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Dr. Beatty.

Clawson moved that the communications of the communication of the communic

The mayor on recommendation of the city attorney was authorized to execute quit claim deeds to property owned by W. J. Mic-Nally, O. H. Pettit, Hannah C. Miller and others, the same having been sold under the illegal sprinkling tax levy. His honor was also authorized to execute a quit claim deed in favor of Paul Hamer, whose property was of Paul Hamer, whose property

old for an extension of water mains tax. DOG LICENSE REVENUE. The recorder submitted a report, showing that \$277 had been realized from dog licenses for the month of September, and that forty-two dogs had been destroyed.

SUPPLIES WANTED. Requisitions for supplies were re-ceived from the heads of the city de-partments, in accordance with the res-olution requiring them to make such, passed at the previous meeting of the council. The requisitions were offered to the purchasing committee.

H. P. G. Coates called the council's attention to the fact that the new clock at the joint city and county building was not covered by insurance, and requested that he be allowed to cover the risk. Referred to the joint city and county

building committee POLICE JUSTICE'S REPORT. The police justice's report for the month of September was submitted and showed fines paid in labor, \$377; fines paid in cash, \$1,63450. \$2,011.50. Total cases, 307.

DEAD STREET CAR TRACKS. The board of public works recommended that the Sait Lake Rapid Transit company be required to take up certain tracks, laid by them on Third West street, between First and Second South streets, and not now used, as the same materially interfered with the construction of the gravity sewer along that street.

Clawson moved that the Rapid

Transit company be given two days to move the rails, and if they did not do so within that time that the supervisor of streets be instructed to take them up at the expense of the company.

Carried.

GRAVITY SEWER CONFERENCE. JUDGE HOGE CONFIRMED, TOO

A GRAVITY SEWER CONFERENCE
The board of public works stated that the sewer contractors had failed to comply with the demand made upon them to put on a sufficient force of men to complete the sewer within the time specified by the contract, and that it was now within the province of the city to enter upon the said work and complete it at the expense of the contractors. The board further stated that some definite action on the part important Decisions in Regard to of the city should be taken to of the city should be taken at once, and asked for a con-

The superintendent of waterworks asked authority to comply with the request of the board of education to make water connections with the Grant school, at a cost of \$40.

Referred to the committee on waterworks

AUTHORITY ASKED.

works. EARNING INTEREST. City Treasurer Duke gave notice that he had placed the \$25,000 received from the sale of the "copper plant bonds" at interest on call at the rate of 1½ per cent per annum.

HARRIGAN'S BILL PAID The finance committee recommended that notes of the Salt Lake City Railroad company be set aside to pay the balance, \$1,925.42, due Frank Harrigan for sidewalk paving.

LIQUOR LICENSES. Liquor licenses were ordered issued to F. S. Hadra, L. W. Dittman, M. E. Mulvey & Co. and Paul Blimm.

DR. DALBY CONFIRMED. Miscellaneous business being reached.
Newell called up the appointment of
Dr. Dalby as health commissioner, and
moved that the appointment be confirmed.

Corum was sorry the mayor had again appointed Daiby. He would have much preferred that the present health commissioner be allowed to remain, and this was the sentiment of a large number of the people.

Hardy took the ground that the mat-

ter had once been disposed of by the council and could be taken up again only on a two-thirds vote to reconsider. The gentleman moved that the mayor's communication be tabled. Lost by a vote of 7 to 5. Newell said that the mayor's com

munication was a reappointment and had to be taken up anew. O'Meara moved that the matter be referred to the committee on sanitary

associated, for report next Tu day evening, and that the tice to the contractors be simply inform them that there is a doubt as to the legality of the tax and leave it to them whether to proceed or stop. In this form the motion passed.

A SESSION WITHOUT PAY. Clawson moved that when the coun-cil adjourns, it be until this evening. when the council would meet the board of public works to confer on the grav-ity sewer and that the members re-ceive no pay for the special session. Carried.

HOGE CONFIRMED.

Young called up the mayor's reap-pointment of Judge Hoge as city attor-ney, and presented the committee's re-port, recommending that the appoint-ment be confirmed. ment be confirmed.

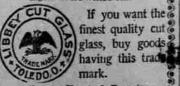
O'Meara objected on the ground that the committee report had been signed by J. J. Daly, who was no longer a member of the council. It was pointed out that a majority of the committee had signed it, even if the name of Daly was stricken off, and Mr. O'Meara, as a member of the committee, added his name to the report. The appoint his name to the report. The appoint-ment was then confirmed unanimous-ly, his term of office to date from the

ment last June. The appropriation list was passed and the council adjourned till this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

time the mayor made the reappoint

See campaign offer, northwest

LEADS THE WORLD. Libbey's AMERICAN CUT GLASS.



But Very Few Cases of Contagious Diseases.

AT THE GRAVITY SEWER. THE CONTRACTORS ARE NOW

RUSHING THEIR OPERATIONS. Four Ordinances Approved By Mayor Baskin Yesterday-A Sweeping Reduction in the Fire Depart-ment-The Municipal Ghost

Scheduled to Walk on Friday.

were congratulating themselves yester-day upon the comparative freedom from contagious diseases now being enjoyed by the city. Probably never before in the history of the municipality have there

been fewer cases of diphtheria and scarlet lever, for but two flage were floating
before quarantined dwellings yeaterday,
one being for diphtheria and the other
for scarlet fever. The course of typhold
has also been checked and there are but
few cases of the disease in the city.
Health Commissioner Beatty is watching
the city's health with never failing zeal
and the freedom from contagion is a
matter of a great deal of pride with him.
He is of the opinion that if the people
will adopt the dry earth closet system
where connection with the sewer is impossible the death rate of the city will
be materially decreased. This system is
the cheapest as well as the best closet
sanitation, except sewerage, known to
science.

During the month of August one death
resulted from typhold fever and during
September the number was increased by
nine, making a total of eleven for the
two months, as compared with the same
number for August and September of
1831. Dr. Beatty explains the increase in
deaths from the disease in September to
the rains during the month, which, according to the accepted theory, causes
the soil water to rise and throw off the
typhoid bacteria derived from the seenage from vaults and outside closets.
These germs of disease find their way
into milk kept in celiars and through additional sources reach the alimentary canals of human belngs. With the abandonnent of the present closet system and
the destruction of all refuse from typhold
patients the disease would be entirely
wiped out, says the doctor.

Forging Ahead With the Sewer.

Forging Ahead With the Sewer. In accordance with the recent decision of the board of public works to allow the

munication was a reappointment and had to to taken up answ.

O'Meara moved that the matter be referred to the committee on sanitary rules and quarantine.

Clawson was satisfied that the confirmation of the doctor was lost for want of a majority and had no business to come up again. He considered the mayor's communication an insult to the intelligence of the members of the council. His objection to Daiby was that he was not a taxpayer within the meaning of the law.

Young—The mayor has a right to mominate the health officer, and he has a right to nominate Dr. Daiby as many times as he likes. I don't hold with Mr. Clawson in the matter of the fact of the doctor not being a taxpayer debarring him from holding a public office. I will never refuse to vote for a man because he is poor. The doctor's move to become a taxpayer was ill-advised, and he would have been better not to have made it, but I will support the mayor in this appointment.

Clawson said he didn't object to a man being poor holding office as long.

From Mayor Baskin's office yesterday fixed that the programment with the first that the four ordinances which the programment of the board of public works to allow the sewer commenced upon that portion of the system. The stakes for the extension of the system of south Temple and Fourth West, operations have commenced upon the system. The stakes for the extension of the system. The stakes for the extension of the system. The stakes for the extensi

intention to plan the work with a speed possible.

Tonight the board of public works and the city council will meet in joint seasion for the purpose of determining several important matters in connection with the sewer. One of them is whether or not the city shall take charge of the construction and continue the work to State street and another is the proposition to discontinue operations were South:

west entrance to the fair grounds.

Committee on streets.

DALBY REAPPOINTED.

A communication from the mayor was read stating that the vote upon the confirmation of Dr. Dalby, as health commissioner, resulted in a tie, leaving the matter undisposed of and again appointing Dr. Dalby to fill the vacancy be caused by the expiration of the term of Dr. Beatty.

St. Motion lost.

On motion of Newell it was laid over to come up under miscellaneous.

SPRINKLING TAX REFUNDS, City Attorney Hoge reporting on the petition of A. H. Raieigh, a minor, O. H. Petiti, Henry Rudy and 191 others, asking for a refund of sprinkling tax paid by them during the years 1893 and 1894, recommended that the tax for 1838 be not refunded, as the statute provided that the tax for 1838 be not refunded, as the statute provided that the tax for 1838 be not refunded, as the statute provided that the surprise of the foreman at the commission of the foreman at the large of the foreman at the politic and corporate, including schools.

New York, Oct. 2.—Henry W. Howgase, arrested last week for the embezzlement of government funds, will be taken to Washington for trial. His removal was delayed because of change of deputies in the United States marshal's office.

THE COUNTRY'S CASH. Washington, Oct. 2.-The cash balance In the treasury today was \$139,255,716, of which \$53,873,588 was gold reserve.

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